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TO AMEMBASSY DAR ES SALAAM

AMEMBASSY KIGALI

AMEMBASSY NAIROBI

AMEMBASSY PORT LOUIS

AMEMBASSY YAOUNDE

AMCONSUL DOUALA

UNCLAS STATE 144407

E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: BTRA, XA

SUBJECT: TRAVEL OF RICHARD STALBIRD

REF: STATE 137120: YAOUNDE 2546

1. HYDROPONIC FARMS HAS PROVIDED DEPARTMENT WITH MORE DE-  
TAILED INFORMATION ON STALBIRD'S TRIP THAN WAS CONTAINED  
IN HIS LETTER TO CONGRESSMAN UDALL.

2. HYDROPONIC FARMS IS GROWING TOMATOES AND CUCUMBERS  
HYDROPONICALLY IN ARIZONA AND BELIEVES ITS METHODS CAN BE  
USED IN AFRICAN COUNTRIES. EVEN THE POOREST SEDOIL CAN BE  
USED FOR GROWING CROPS HYDROPONICALLY. ANY CROP CAN BE  
GROWN HYDROPONICALLY EXCEPT ROOT CROPS LIKE POTATOES.  
HYDROPONIC FARMS CAN PROVIDE THE EXPERTISE AND A COMPLETE  
COMPLEX INCLUDING PREFABRICATED BUILDINGS FOR HYDROPONIC  
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FARMING. STALBIRD WILL CALL POSTS UPON ARRIVAL FOR APPOINT  
MENT TO EXPLAIN HOW HYDROPONIC FARMING CAN BE USED IN  
AFRICA.

3. STALBIRD'S ITINERARY IS AS FOLLOWS:

JUNE 23 AR DAR ES SALAAM 11:25 AM BRITISH AIRWAYS 61

JULY 3 LV DAR ES SALAAM 12:00 NOON LUFTHA

SA

AR PORT LOUIS 4:25 PM -

10 LV PORT LOUIS 6:30 AM ALITALIA 1813

AR NAIROBI 11:05 AM

16 LV NAIROBI 8:45 AM SABENA 491

AR KIGALI 10:40 AM

22 LV KIGALI 11:20 AM ETHIOPIA 781

AR DOUALA 2:35 PM

30 LV DOUALA 10:30 AM UTA 766 VANCE

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